

Situation Update

STATISTICS OF INCIDENTS AND FATALITIES IN NIGERIA

September 1-15, 2022







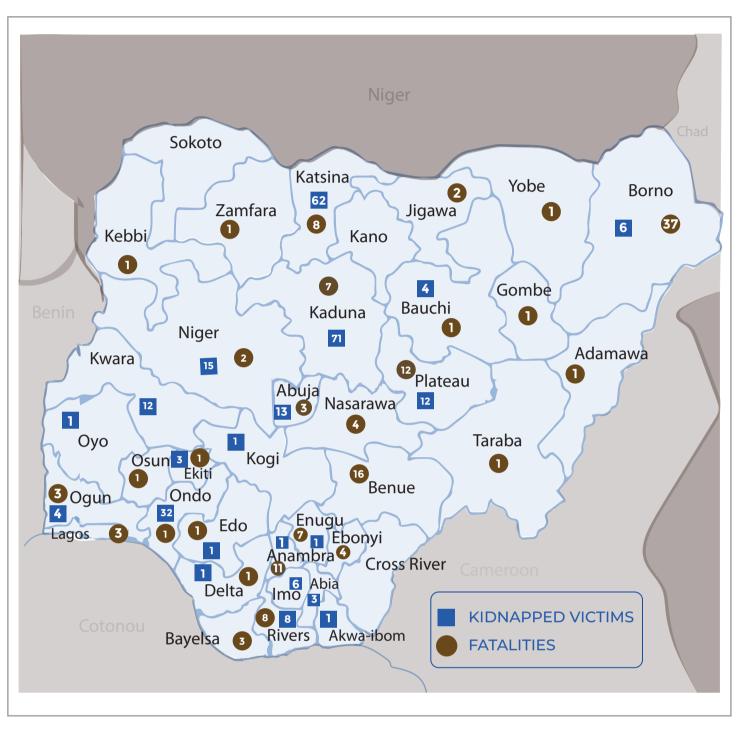
SUMMARY

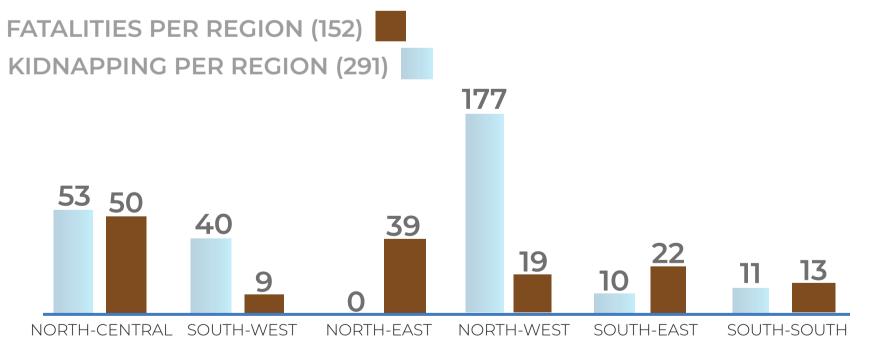
The situation report, which provides a bi-weekly update on armed violence incidents and casualties in Nigeria documented multiple security threats such as banditry, kidnapping, terrorist attacks, cult violence and communal clashes arising from leadership tussle, as well as sexual and gender-based violence (SGBV) particularly rape in the reporting

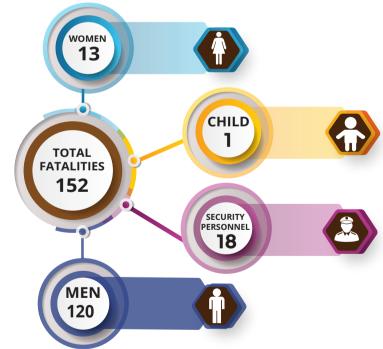
Within the reporting period, a total of 82 armed violence incidents were recorded with 40 injuries and 152 fatalities including 13 women, 1 child and 18 security personnel. The North Central had the highest number of fatalities with 50 deaths, followed by the North-East with 39 deaths and South-East with 22 deaths. The North-West and South-South recorded 19 and 13 deaths respectively, while the South-West accounted for 9 deaths. Non-state armed actors are not included in the statistics of recorded fatalities.

The WANEP NEWS also recorded 36 incidents of kidnapping across 19 States with 291 people abducted in the reporting period. Out of the 291 kidnapped victims, 279 were men, 6 females, 4 children and 2 security personnel. Further analysis reveals that the North-West recorded the highest number with 177 victims, while the North-Central and South-West accounted for 53 and 40 kidnapped victims. Also, the South-South and South-East reported the lowest figures of 11 and 10 cases.

AFFECTED LOCATIONS







NATURE OF INCIDENTS

